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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No.: 09/663,564  
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Inventors:  
Gregory L. Slaughter, et al.


Title: Migrating Processes Using  
Data Representation  
Language Representations  
of the Processes in a  
Distributed Computing  
Environment

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**RESPONSE TO FINAL ACTION OF JUNE 13, 2005**

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Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Final Action of June 13, 2005, to further highlight why the application is in condition for allowance.

Please amend the case as listed below.